No.2
NEVER GIVE UP, AND TRY HARD, AND YOUR DREAMS WILL DEFINITELY COME TRUE,
I'VE THOUGHT THAT SINCE CHILD-HOOD, EVEN WITHOUT ANY PROOF.
OH, OKAY!!
OH, OKAY
GIVE IT A LITTLE MORE EFFORT
FINALLY! I GOT A HIT!
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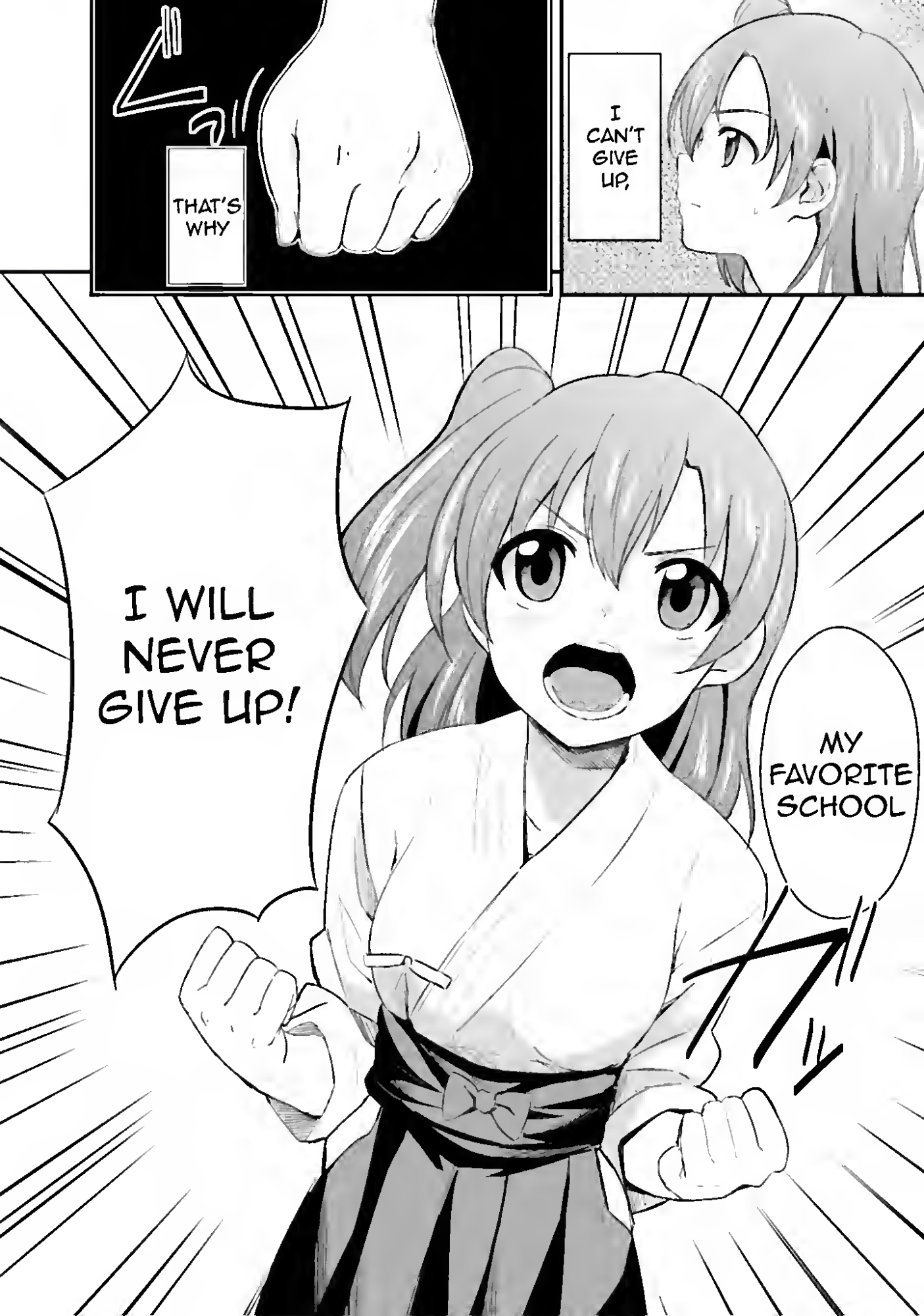
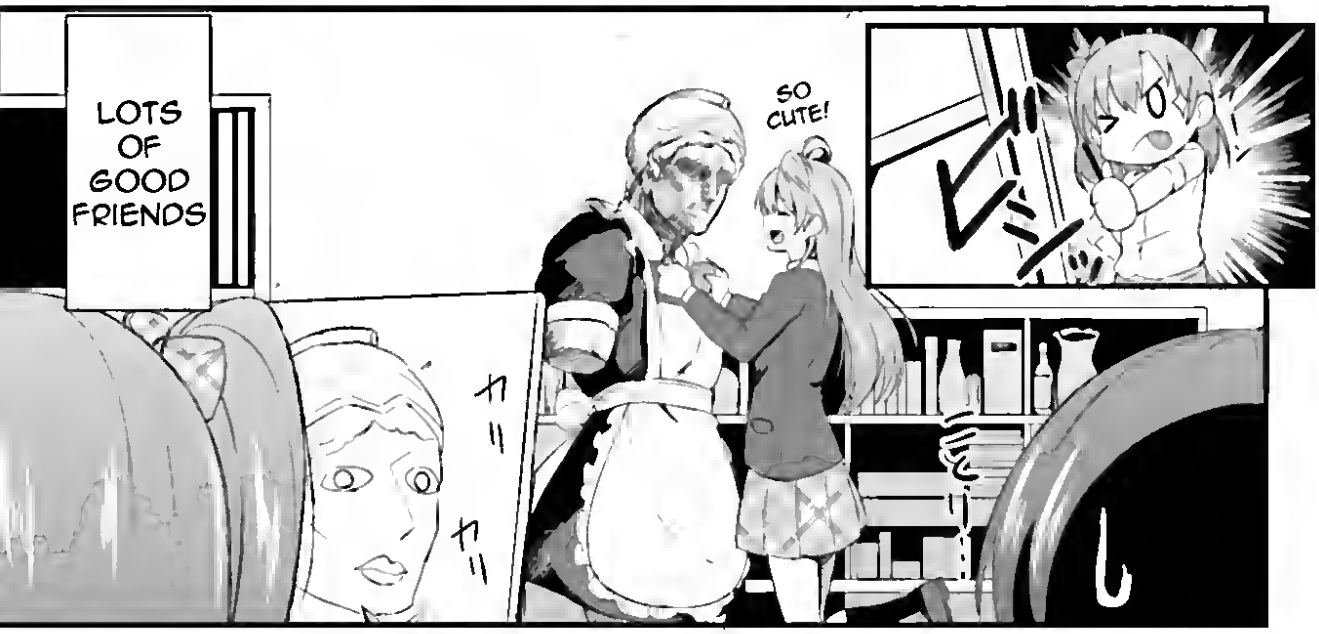
HONOKA WORKS HARDER THAN ANYONE, DOESN'T SHE?
THEY SAY IF WE JUST DO OUR BEST, SOME-HING GOOD WILL COME...
HERE HAVE A TOWEL
THANK YOU!
THAT'S WHAT I THINK ...


THAT'S WHY
I CAN'T GIVE UP,
I WILL NEVER GIVE UP!
MY FAVORITE SCHOOL

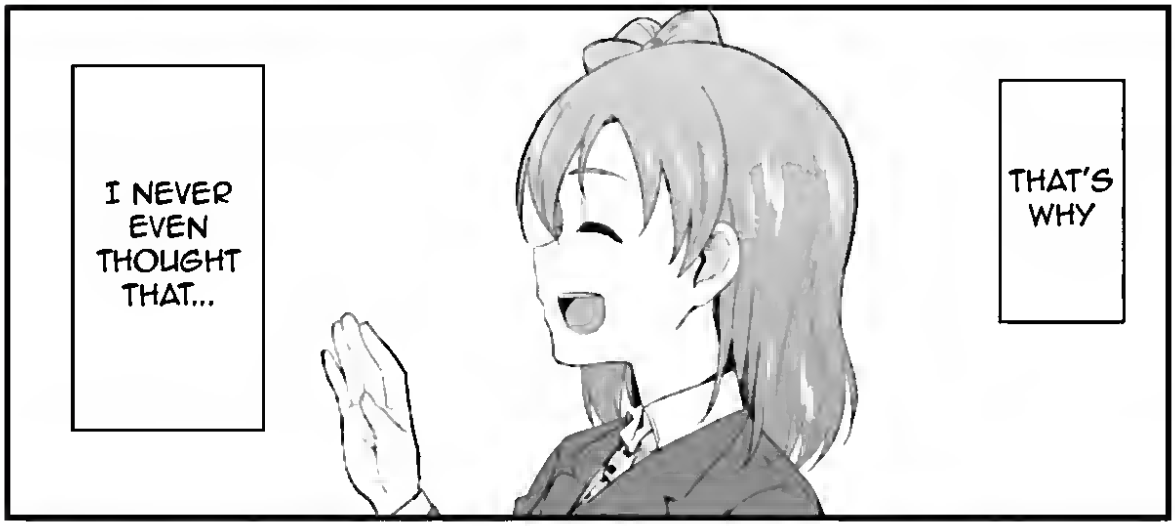
OF COURSE, IT MIGHT NOT MATCH UMI THAT WELL...
IT'S A FUN SCHOOL

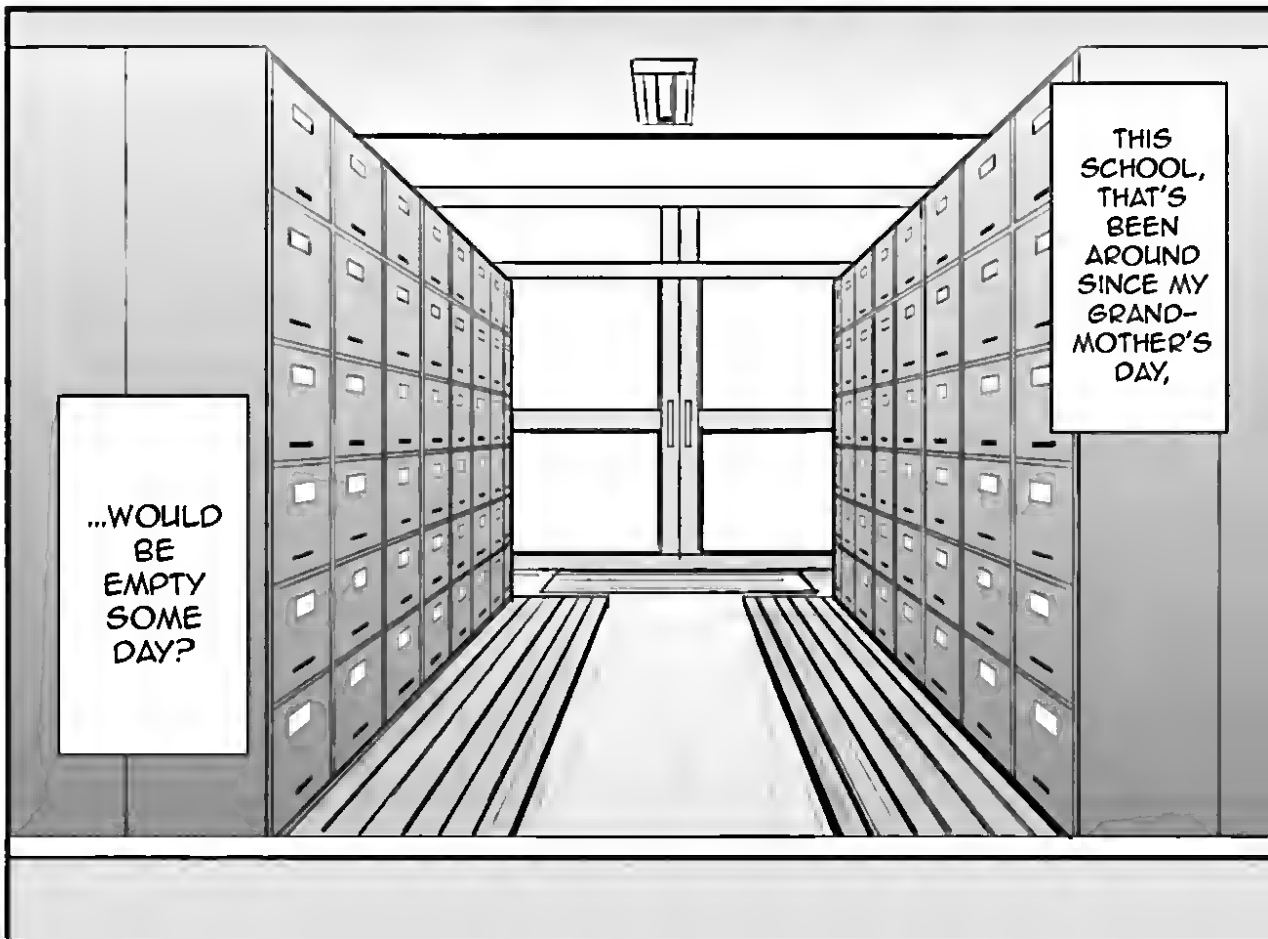

LOTS OF GOOD FRIENDS
SO CUTE!

I THOUGHT MY SCHOOL LIFE WOULD LAST LIKE THIS FOREVER...
NOW NOW, DON'T SAY ANYTHING, JUST TRY IT...

MY NEW CREATION, CURRY BUNS!
TA-DAH!
UGH...

SEE YOU TOMORROW!
BYE-BYE


I NEVER EVEN THOUGHT THAT...
THAT'S WHY


...WOULD BE EMPTY SOME DAY?
THIS SCHOOL, THAT'S BEEN AROUND SINCE MY GRAND-MOTHER'S DAY,

THERE'S ONLY ONE FRESHMAN CLASS THIS YEAR...
BUT WHAT CAN I DO TO KEEP THE SCHOOL FROM CLOSING?
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MAKE YOUR DREAMS COME TRUE UTX ACADEMY! UTX ACADEMY!
UTX?
I'M A BIT HUNGRY
MAYBE A CREPE WILL MAKE ME FEEL BETTER
WAAH! IT'S SO TALL!
MAKE YOUR DREAMS COME TRUE
UTX
NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS
I DON'T COME TO AKIHABARA VERY OFTEN...
...
AMEZED

THE SCHOOL IS SO FANCY, EVEN THE STUDENTS ARE FANCY...
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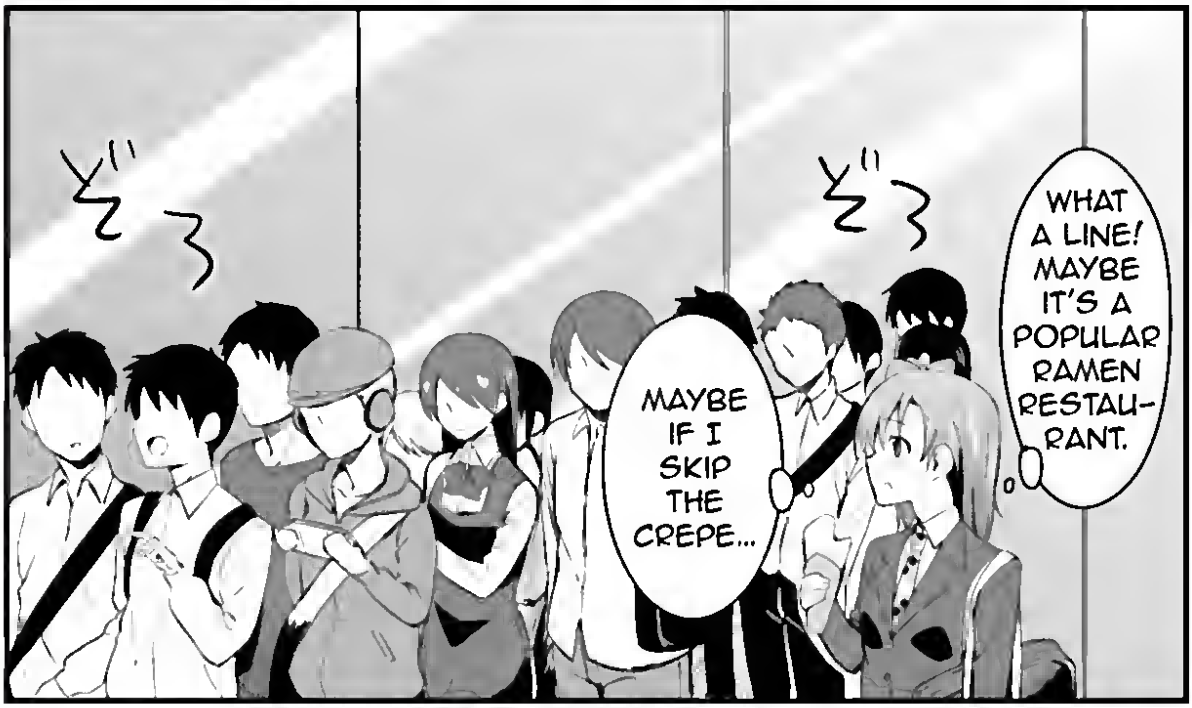
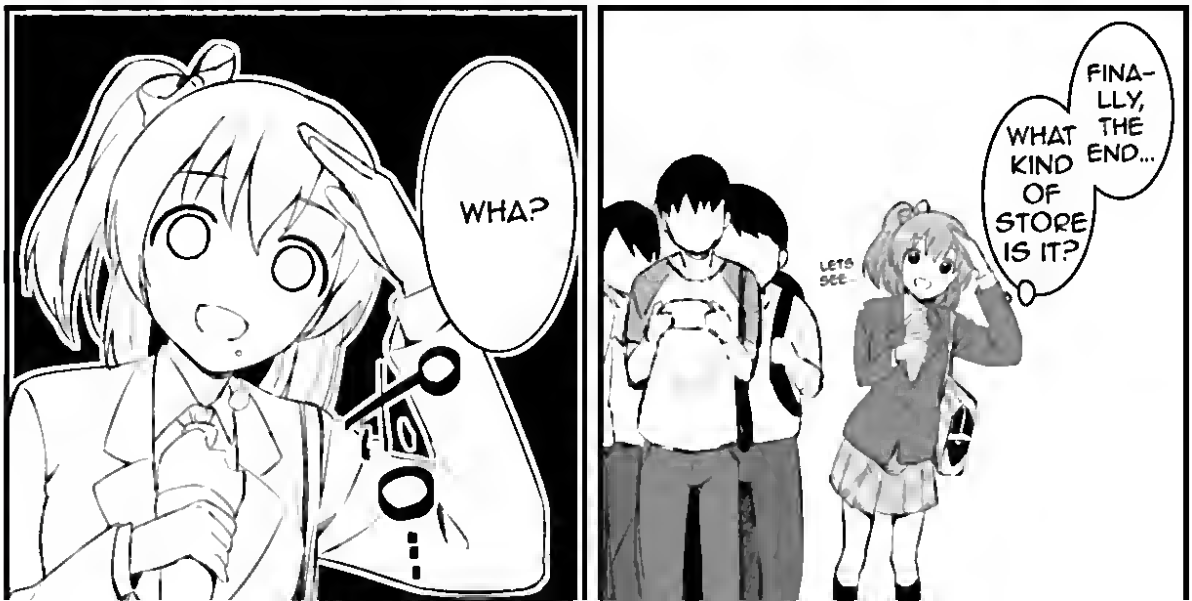
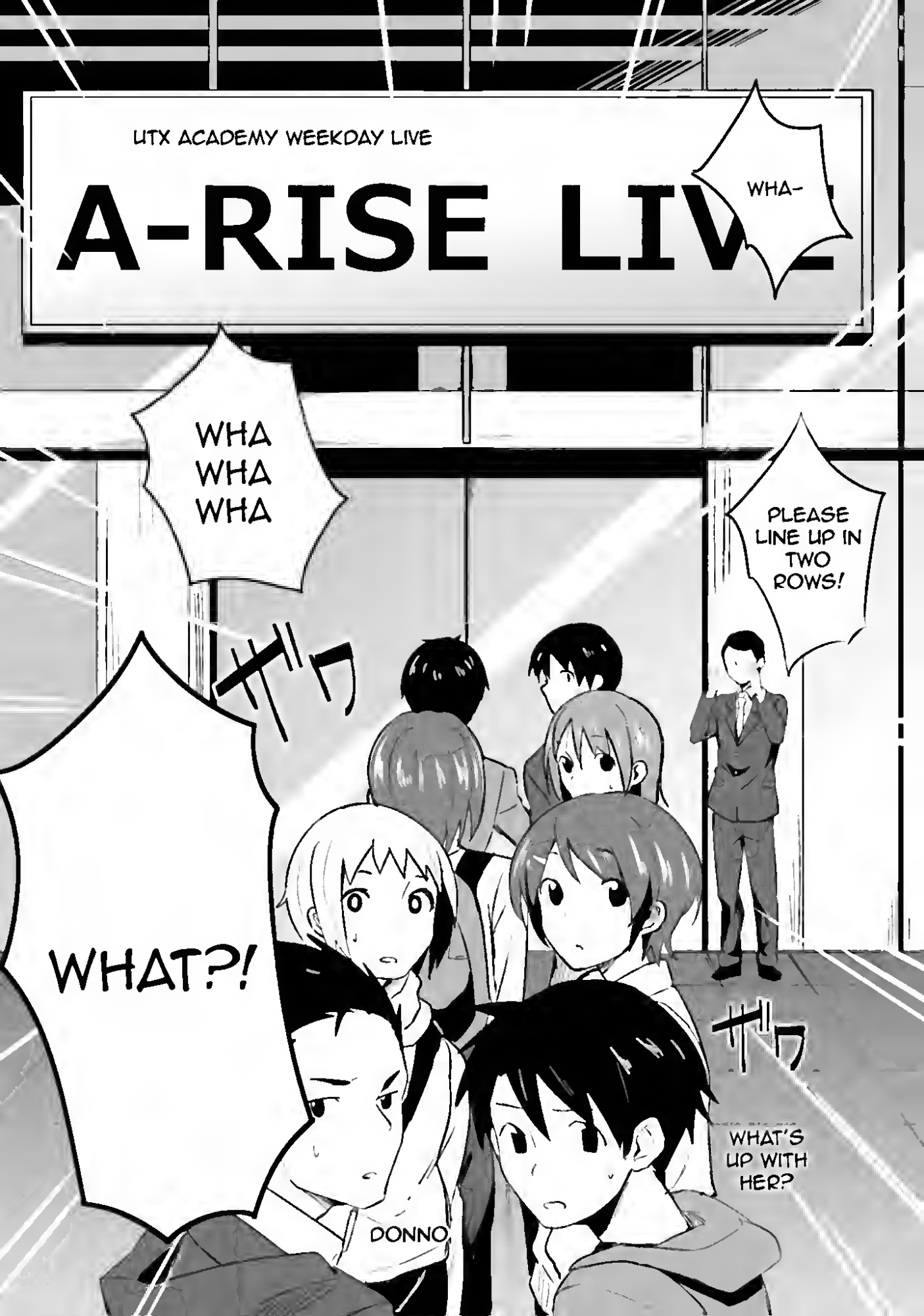
HUH?
LOOKS...
THEY'VE SEEN ME!
AH!
I GUESS THIS UNIFORM IS PRETTY UNCOOL
ALTHOUGH I DO LIKE IT...
FLIP
MAYBE IF MY SCHOOL WAS BEAUTIFUL AND COOL LIKE THEIRS IT WOULD BE MORE POPULAR?
RISE

MUST BE A NEW STORE?
HMM? WHAT'S WITH THE LINEUP?
COME AGAIN!
CREPE
MENU
THANKS!


WHAT A LINE! MAYBE IT'S A POPULAR RAMEN RESTAU-RANT.
MAYBE IF I SKIP THE CREPE...


WHA?
FINA-LLY, THE END...
WHAT KIND OF STORE IS IT?
LET'S SEE...


UTX ACADEMY WEEKDAY LIVE
A-RISE LIVE
WHA-
WHA WHA WHA
PLEASE LINE UP IN TWO ROWS!
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WHAT?!
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WHAT'S UP WITH HER?
DONNO

MOMOKO?
HEY! HONOKA!
AH
WHAT'S UP WITH THIS LINE? SOMETHING TO DO WITH UTX ACADEMY?
IS SCHOOL OVER?
HI!
SCHOOL... IDOL?
WEEKDAY LIVE SHOW?
IT'S FOR UTX ACADEMY'S SCHOOL IDOL GROUP "A-RISE"'S WEEKDAY LIVE SHOW!
WHAT? HONOKA, DON'T YOU KNOW?

WELL, THEY SAY SCHOOL IDOL, BUT THEY'RE GOING TO MAKE THEIR MAJOR DEBUT SOON!
SO ALL THEIR FANS AND HOPEFUL MEMBERS ARE JOINING UTX!
I'M GOING TO GO TO UTX TOO!
ARISE

MAJOR DEBUT...
WEEKLY LIVE...
SCHOOL IDOL...
THAT'S IT!

I WAS GOING TO GO WITH A FRIEND TODAY, BUT SHE GOT SICK.

HONOKA... COULD YOU BUY ME A TICKET?
HMM...
I FEEL FAINT...
THAT WOULD BE SO NICE OF YOU...

WAAHH!!
EH?
EH?
OOAAH!

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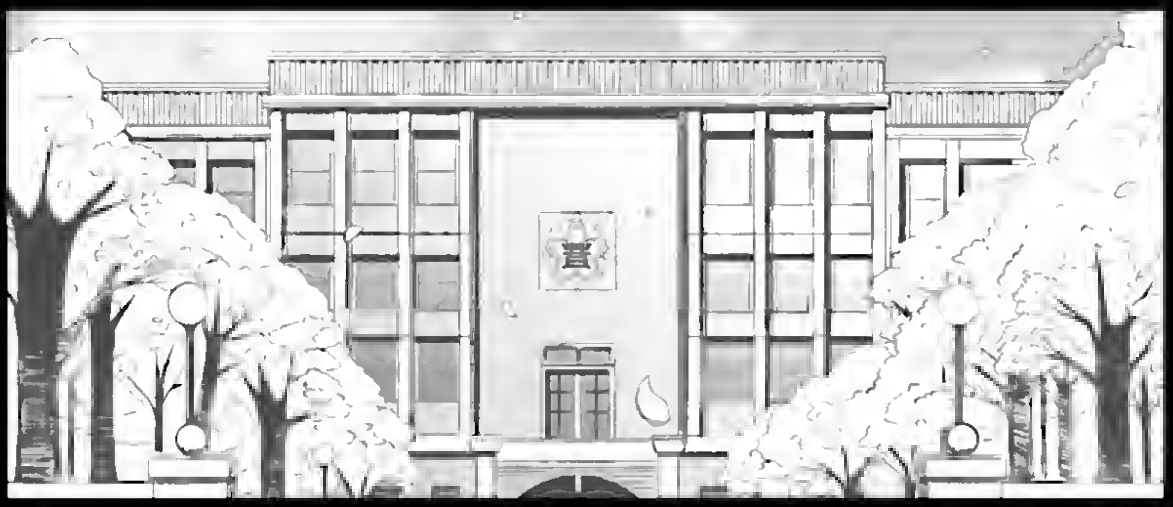

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THEIR SCHOOL IS CO-ED NOT LIKE OURS, THE BUILDING IS SO NICE, THEY'RE SMART...
I WANT TO GO TO UTX HIGH!
BLEH!
I HATE UTX ACADEMY!
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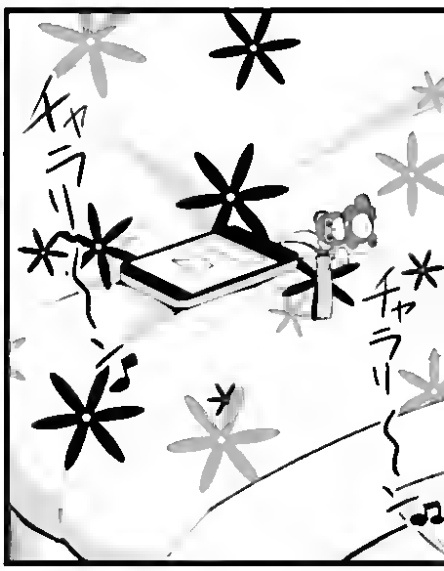
WE LOVE YOU ALL!
THANK YOU FOR COMING TODAY!

THIS IS IT!

OKAY!

HM? MAIL?
RESIGNATION LETTER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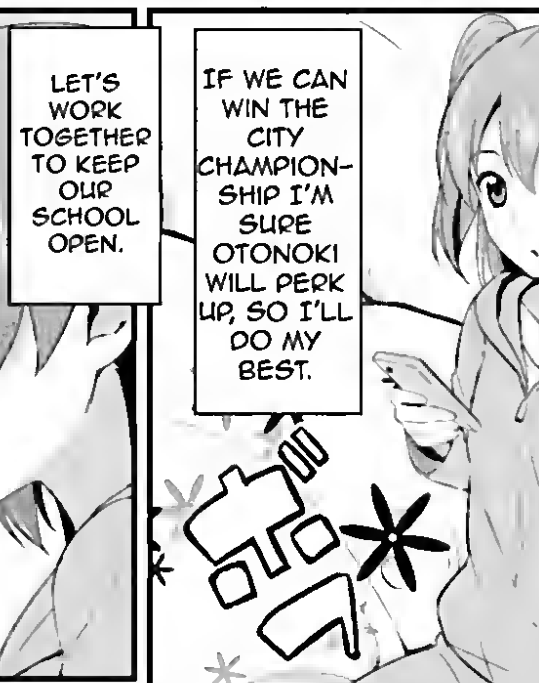
UMI...


LET'S WORK TOGETHER TO KEEP OUR SCHOOL OPEN.

IF WE CAN WIN THE CITY CHAMPION-SHIP I'M SURE OTONOKI WILL PERK UP, SO I'LL DO MY BEST.

IT'S FROM UMI, WHAT DOES SHE WANT?
LET'S WORK HARD AT PRACTICE TOMOR-ROW

AND I HOPE MOMO AND UMI WILL HELP ME.
I'VE GOT AN IDEA.
TEE HEE
YEAH, BUT I'VE FOUND A DIFFERENT WAY TO WORK HARD.
SEND!
SHE'S ALWAYS SO CHEERFUL.
Inbox
Honoko
Re:
Umi, Thank you, thank you!!
You're the best friend in the whole world!

GOOD MORNING!
HONOKA? WHY ARE YOU STILL WEARING YOUR UNIFORM?
I...
I'M GOING TO QUIT KENDO,
AND BECOME AN IDOL!